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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
KATSUMI NAKAGAWA, et al. )  
Application No.: 09/638,398 )  
Filed: August 15, 2000 )  
For: METHOD OF PRODUCING )  
SEMICONDUCTOR MEMBER )  
AND METHOD OF )  
PRODUCING SOLAR CELL )  
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Group Art Unit: 2812  
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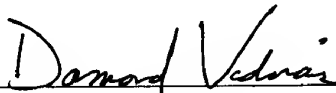
Sir:

Applicants have received a Notice Of Allowability in which the Examiner has indicated that new formal drawings are required to include changes required by the Notice Of Draftperson's Patent Drawing Review (Form PTO-948) accompanying the Notice Of Allowability. However, according to the Form PTO-948 (copy attached), the originally-filed drawings were approved by the Draftperson.

Nevertheless, in the interest of advancing this case to issue, transmitted herewith is another set of formal drawings.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa,  
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